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Applicants: Jang HAN et al.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This document is responsive to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed February 15, 2007. The appropriate fees are enclosed to make this response timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.